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USDOC FOR CAGNE/PETER HALE OR DICK TENNEY

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS : BEXP, BA
SUBJECT : PRIVATE TRADE OPPORTUNITY: AMUSEMENT/RECREATION PARK

REF : MANAMA 836 (NOTAL)

1. WE NOW UNDERSTAND THAT THERE IS HIGH-LEVEL INTEREST AND FINANCIAL BACKING IN THE TOP REPORTED REFTEL AND THAT HEIR APPARENT/MINISTER OF DEFENSE SHAIKH HAMAD BIN ISA AL-KHALIFA IS DEEPLY INVOLVED IN THE PROJECT. TWO OTHERS WHO ARE FINANKIALLY INVOLVED AND WHO WILL BE MAKING SUBSTANTIVE JUDGEMENTS ABOUT THE PROJECT WILL BE IN NEW YORK CITY FOR THE NEXT THREE DAYS, GUEST OF PAN AM. THEY ARRIVE NEW YORK THURSDAY, APRIL 21 AND DEPART AGAIN ON THE RETURN PAN AM FLIGHT, AND WILL BE STAYING AT THE WALDORF ASTORIA. THEIR NAMES: SHAIKH ISA BIN MOHAMMAD AL-KHALIFA, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE HIGH COUNCIL FOR YOUTH AND SPORTS AND RAMZI TOMINNA (BROTHER OF ORIGINAL REQUESTER OF INFORMATION CITED REFTEL).

2. EMBASSY WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE ONE OF YOU CONTACTING EITHER SHAIKH ISA OR TOMINNA AND LETTING THEM KNOW WHAT HAS BEEN DONE IN TERMS OF DISTRIBUTION OF TOP. THEY ARE READY AND WILLING TO BEGIN
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DISCUSSIONS WITH AMERICAN FIRMS ON THIS TRIP. IF NECESSARY, TOMINNA IS PREPARED TO STAY ON TO HOLD DISCUSSIONS ON THE PROJECT.
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